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Applicant: Jörg Oser
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AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on May 14, 2004, and setting a shortened statutory period for response of three months to expire on August 14, 2004. Applicant petitions that, if required, the time for response be extended and the corresponding fee be charged. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Acct. No. 11-0224. Applicant further respectfully requests that this response be accepted as a bona fide effort to meet any